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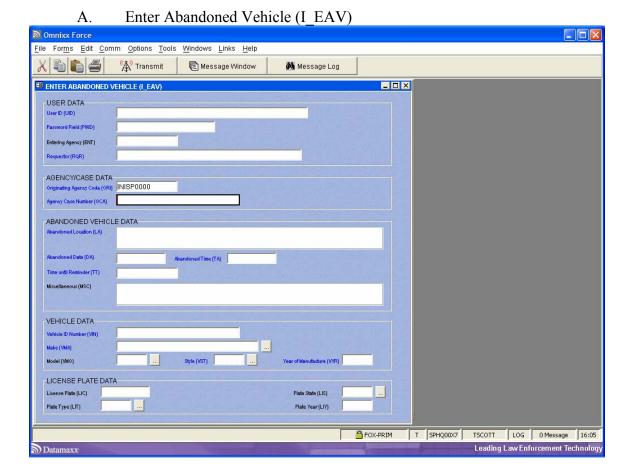
IDACS Abandoned Vehicle File

I.   Introduction

1.   The Abandoned Vehicle File is an IDACS only hotfile with inquiry and entry capability. Any IDACS/NCIC or BMW check by VIN will search the Abandoned Vehicle File. This will assist in locating vehicles left abandoned on roadways in Indiana.

2.   The Abandoned Vehicle Entry screen will have fields for location, date, and time the vehicle is tagged or logged as abandon. The Time Until Reminder field will allow an agency to set how many days until an automatic reminder tells the agency it is now time to tow the vehicle if still abandon, or remove from file if vehicle has been picked up.

II.   Upon Completion of this lesson, the user will be able to answer test questions related to the Query, Entry, Modify and Clear/Cancel of NICB Files into IDACS/NCIC.

III.   Enter Abandoned Vehicle

To enter an abandoned vehicle the entering agency must have an OCA, the location date, time vehicle is logged abandoned the number of days until a reminder notice is received and the VIN, VYR, VMA, and VST of the vehicle.
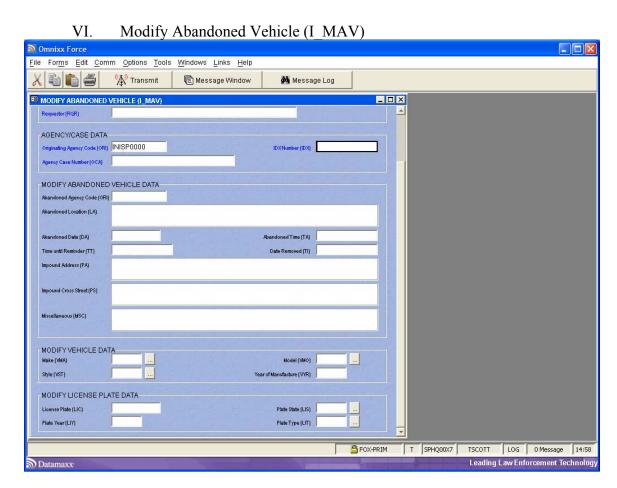
IV.   Retention Period

The abandoned records will be maintained and returned by IDACS for a period of 72 hours from the date received.

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A. Enter Abandoned Vehicle (I_EAV)

Abandoned Vehicle Data

1. Abandoned Location (LA)
    a. Required.
    b. This field is one (1) to seventy (70) alphanumeric and special characters representing the Location of the Abandoned Vehicle.

2. Abandoned Date (DA)
    a. Required.
    b. Must be eight numeric characters entered as MMDDYYYY.

3. Abandoned Time (TA)
    a. Required.
    b. This field is four (4) numeric characters representing the hours and minutes of time the vehicle was noticed as abandoned.

4.   Time until Reminder (TT)
   a.   Required.
   b.   This field is four (4) numeric characters representing the desired days and hours to pass before the automated notice is sent to the entering agency. Example: Entering 0300 would represent 3 days and 0 hours.

5.   Miscellaneous (MSC)
   a.   This is a free text field to indicate any additional information.
   b.   Periods are not allowed.

VI.   Modify Abandoned Vehicle (I_MAV)

V.   Automatic Removal Abandoned Vehicle File

Entries into the Abandoned Vehicle File with a Date of Entry older than 3 days, zero hours will be removed, and the ORI of the entry will receive:
THE FOLLOWING RECORD IS BEING CANCELED. IT HAS BEEN 72 HOURS SINCE THE RECORD WAS ENTERED INTO FILE.

ENFORCEMENT OF THE INDIANA CODE RELATED TO ABANDONED
VEHICLES SHOULD BE CONSIDERED.
**** INSTATE **** INSTATE **** INSTATE ****
MKE-ABANDONED VEHICLE
ORI/INISP00P6   VIN/TESTVIN072134567   VYR/1969   VMA/CHEV
VST/2D OCA/TEST0721 LA/104 EAST SYCAMORE ROAD NBR 151,
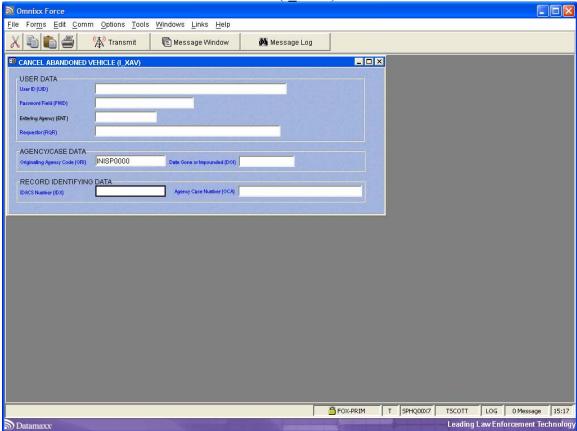AMBIA, INDIANA   DA/20040721   TA/153000   TT/0300000000
IDX/IX00227206 DTE/20040721
****** END OF AIV RECORD ******

VII.   Cancel Abandoned Vehicle

C.   Cancel Abandoned Vehicle (I_XAV)

Agency/Case Data

1.   Date Gone or Impounded (DOI)
    a.   This field is eight (8) numeric characters representing the
            date the vehicle was removed from the location it was
            abandoned.
    b.   MMDDYYYY format.